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Lisa Russell Hahn
Executive Director
Virginia Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300
Richmond, VA 23233-1463

RE: Proposed Regulations
18VAC65-20-10 et seq. Regulations of the Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers

Dear Ms. Hahn:

I have reviewed the Proposed Regulations, relating to standards for crematories, in accordance with the Administrative Process Act.

I find the amended regulations to be constitutional and in conformity with existing statutory provisions and not in conflict with other federal or state law or regulation.

Having satisfied all legal requirements, you may proceed to take the necessary steps to promulgate this regulation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J. E. Kotvas".

Jack Edward Kotvas
Assistant Attorney General

c: Elaine J. Yeatts, Agency Regulatory Coordinator
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